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SUBJECT: COMMISSARY ACTIVITIES AT SAO PAULO

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1. SUBSTANTIAL OF REFTEL CONVEYED TO AMERICAN EMPLOYEES AND DEPENDENTS AT MEETING DECEMBER 6. EMBASSY ADMINISTRATIVE COUNSELOR HAD PREVIOUSLY INFORMED CONGEN WHEN IN BRASILIA THAT DESPITE IMPLICATION OF LAST SENTENCE OF PARA 2 REFTEL EMBASSY WOULD ONLY BE ABLE TO FURNISH ASSISTANCE ON REIMBURSABLE BASIS TO SAO PAULO ORGANIZATION, WHICH WOULD BE PROHIBITIVE GIVEN HIGH COST OF AIR FIRES AND PER DIEM, AND THAT ASSISTANCE MIGHT IN ANY CASE NOT BE AVAILABLE BECAUSE OF LACK OF QUALIFIED PERSONNEL WITH TIME AVAILABLE. IN LIGHT OF NEW MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS PARA 2 REFTEL (WHICH ARE MUCH LESS THAN THE REQUIREMENTS ENUNCIATED TO POST BY VISITING INSPECTORS AND WHICH INCLUDED OUTSIDE AUDIT) AND COPIES OF REPORTS ACTUALLY PREPARED BY BRASILIA COMMISSARY, IRS AUDITORS AND OFFICERS AT SAO PAULO HAVE GRACIOUSLY AGREED TO PERFORM MINIMUM NECESSARY ACCOUNTING SPECIFIED REFTEL ON VOLUNTARY PART-TIME INTERMITTENT BASIS DESPITE THEIR HEAVY SCHEDULE OF TRAVEL OUTSIDE BRAZIL. EMPLOYEES WILL BE BONDED AND ISURANCE ALREADY IN EFFECT. FORMAL COMMISSARY ORGANIZATION FOLLOWING LINES OF BRASILIA COMMISSARY CHARTER AND BY-LAWS, WHICH ALREADY URGENTLY REQUESTED BY TELEPHONE, WILL BE ESTABLISHED AT MEETING TO BE HELD IN TEN DAYS AND ORGANIZATION WILL GO INTO EFFECT JANUARY 1.

2. MEMBERS UNDERSTANDING THAT VOLUNTARY PART-TIME PARTICIPATION

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IN MONTHLY COMMISSARY INVENTORY IS ESSENTIAL PART OF EXIS-

TENCE OF A COMMISSARY. COMMISSARY WILL OPERATE AT LEAST TH-
ROUGH JUNE 30, 1977, WHEN PRESENT MANAGER LEAVING, AND AMERICAN
EMPLOYEES AND DEPENDENTS WILL REVIEW EXPERIENCE BEFORE
THAT TIME TO SEE WHETHER CONTINUATION OR DISBANDMENT SHOULD
TAKE PLACE.
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